MI COVID RESPONSE DATA AND MODELING UPDATE

NOTE: All data as of May 29 unless otherwise noted

June 1, 2021

Executive summary

Percent Positivity is down 25% and **Case Rate** is down 35% since last week. Positivity $(5.1\%, \downarrow 1.7\%)$ and case rates $(97.3, \downarrow 52.5)$ have decreased for seven weeks

Michigan has the 7th highest number of cases (\downarrow 4), and 12th highest case rate (\downarrow 9) in the last 7 days (source: CDC COVID Data Tracker)

Percent of inpatient beds occupied by individuals with COVID has decreased 23% since last week and is decreasing for five weeks. There are 6.1% (\1.8%) inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients.

Michigan has the 4th highest inpatient bed utilization (\downarrow 3), and the 3rd highest adult ICU bed utilization (\downarrow 2) in the country (source: US HHS Protect)

Deaths have decreased 32% since last week. There were 248 COVID deaths (\downarrow 117) between May 16 and May 22, and the **Death Rate** is 3.6 deaths per million residents (\downarrow 1.7)

Michigan has the 10th highest number of deaths (\downarrow 3), and 11th highest death rate (\downarrow 7) in the last 7 days (source: CDC COVID Data Tracker)

The 7-day average state testing rate has decreased to 2,003.3 tests/million/day (\downarrow 425.5). Daily diagnostic tests (PCR) is 19.9K per day (\downarrow 4.2), and the weekly average for PCR and antigen tests conducted in Michigan is 35.2K (\downarrow 8.3K).

8.7 million COVID-19 vaccine doses reported to CDC, 4.2 million people have completed their vaccine series

Comparison across states: Summary

What we see today (data through 5/27):

- 2 states are seeing increasing <u>1</u> week case trends (>=10%) (down from 4 last week)
- 9 states are seeing 1 week increases (>=10%) in new COVID hospital admissions (up from 4 last week) but all have very low baselines
- DC, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Michigan and Florida have highest per capita <u>hospitalized</u> patient numbers.
- Midwest (case data from CDC as of 5/29):
 - Wisconsin with <u>decrease</u> in hospitalizations (45/M) and <u>decrease</u> in cases (30/100k last 7d)
 - Indiana with <u>stable</u> hospitalizations (111/M), and <u>decrease</u> in cases (55/100k last 7d)
 - Illinois showing decrease in hospitalizations (98/M), and decrease cases (51/100k last 7d)
 - Ohio with <u>decrease</u> in hospitalizations (99/M) and <u>decrease</u> in cases (42/100k last 7d)
 - Michigan showing <u>decrease</u> in hospitalizations (119/M) and <u>stable</u> cases (56/100k last 7d)

COVID-19 Spread

Statewide positivity has decreased to 5.1%

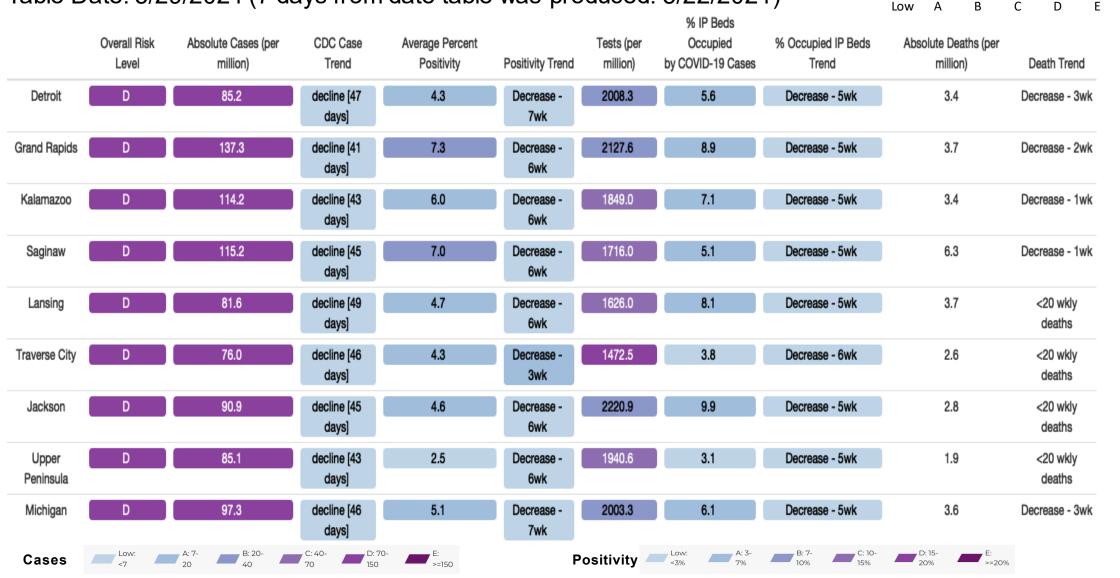
- One week decrease of 25% (vs. 20% decrease last week)
- Decreasing for seven weeks (73% decrease since April 8 high)
- Positivity is declining in all MERC regions and below 7% in six regions

Case rate (97.3 cases/million) is decreasing in the state (127.1 cases/million last week)

- One week decrease of 35% (vs. 35% decrease last week)
- Decreasing for seven weeks (86% decrease since April 11 high)
- Cases per million are declining in all MERC regions
- Variants of Concern in Michigan: 11,110 confirmed B.1.1.7; 67 confirmed B.1.351; 299 confirmed B.1.427/B.1.429; 234 confirmed P.1
- Number of active outbreaks is down 22% from last week
 - Reported school outbreaks have decreased since last week (275 to 217)
 - High schools continue to experience the highest number of outbreaks (96)
 - In the past week, the highest number of new clusters have been identified in general athletics, baseball/softball, and track and field

Confirmed and probable case indicators

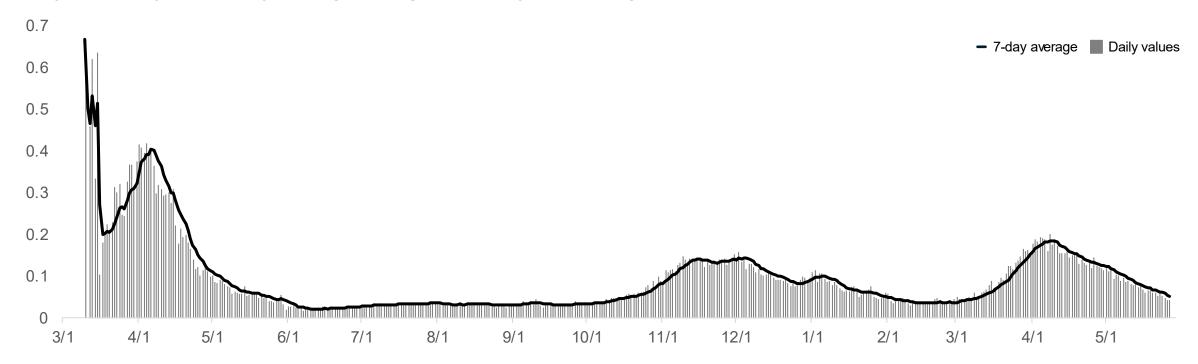
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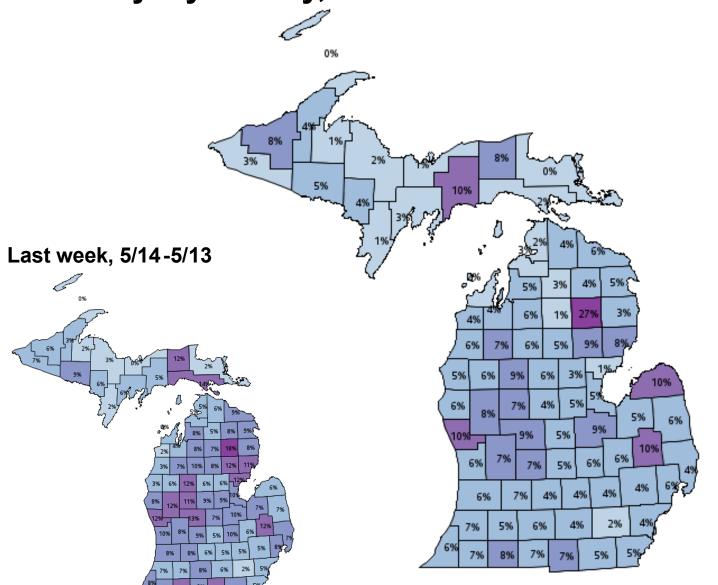
Statewide Positivity Trends

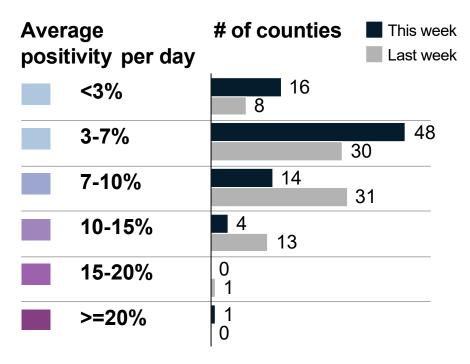
Daily positivity and 7-day rolling average positivity for Michigan



- Early in the pandemic, testing was not as robust as it has been since July 2020 to present
- Positivity is an indicator of whether we are testing enough to identify cases and an early indicator of SARS-CoV-2 transmission (as positivity decreases, we expect case rates to follow)
- Positivity decreased by 25% between this week and last
- Note: These are for PCR tests only and exclude tests conducted with Michigan Department of Corrections

Positivity by county, 5/21-5/27





Updates since last week:

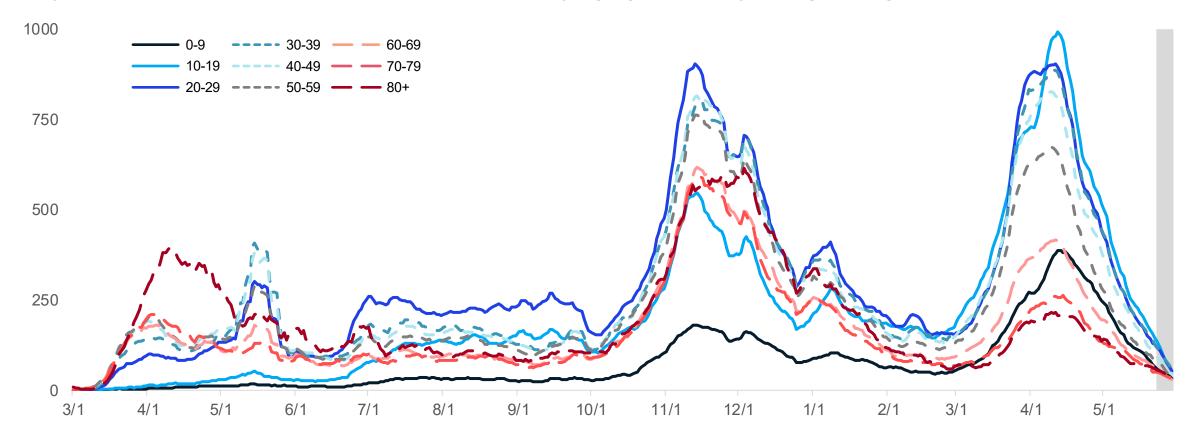
5 of 83 counties saw double digit positivity in the last week (9 county decrease)

19 of 83 counties saw positivity > 7% in the last week (26 county decrease)

67 of 83 counties saw positivity > 3% in the last week (8 county decrease)

Age group: average new daily cases

Daily new confirmed and probable cases per million by age group (7-day rolling average)



- All age groups by decade are decreasing
- Those aged 10-19 have the highest case rates, followed by 30-39 and 20-29 age groups
- Case rates for age groups between 10 and 49 years are above 70 and below 150 cases per million (Risk Level D)

Age group: average new daily cases and daily case rate

Daily new confirmed and probable cases per million by age group (7-day rolling average)

Age Group	Average daily cases	Average Daily Case Rate	One Week % Change (Δ#)	% Change since 4/11/21* (Δ #)
0-9	74.4	64.6	-42% (-55)	-83% (-363)
10-19	181.9	144.9	-36% (-102)	-85% (-1,047)
20-29	174.4	126.4	-34% (-89)	-86% (-1,070)
30-39	154.6	127.4	-34% (-79)	-86% (-921)
40-49	118.9	100.8	-41% (-83)	-88% (-844)
50-59	114.6	84.8	-32% (-54)	-87% (-782)
60-69	82.9	64.9	-28% (-33)	-84% (-449)
70-79	39.3	51.2	-35% (-21)	-80% (-161)
80+	24.9	60.0	-20% (-6)	-72% (-64)
Total¶	974.6	97.3	-35% (-525)	-86% (-5,728)

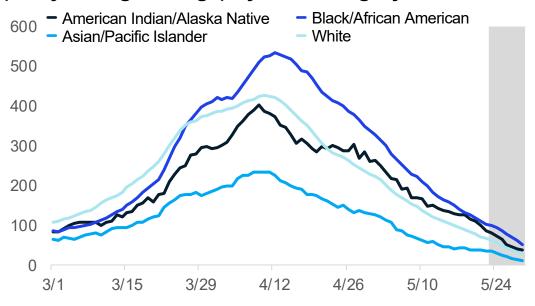
^{*} Highest 7-day avg. following spring 2021 surge

- Average daily number of cases (181.9) and avg. daily case rate (144.9 cases/mil) are currently highest for those 10-19
- All age groups between 10 and 59 are experiencing an average of more than 100 cases per day
- Since April 11, case rates have decreased more than 70% for all age groups, with state overall down 86%

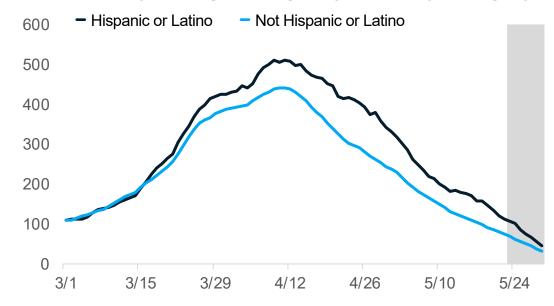
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Average daily new cases per million people by race and ethnicity

Daily new confirmed and probable cases per million (7 day rolling average) by race category



Daily new confirmed and probable cases per million (7 day rolling average) by ethnicity category

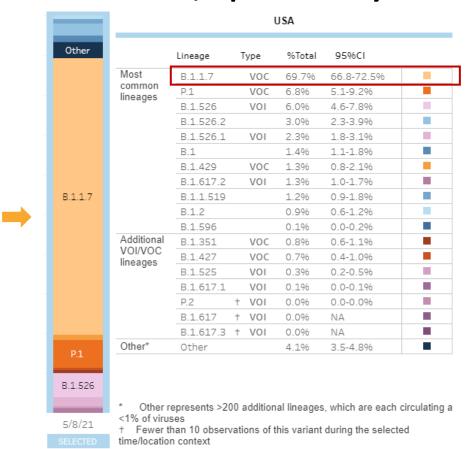


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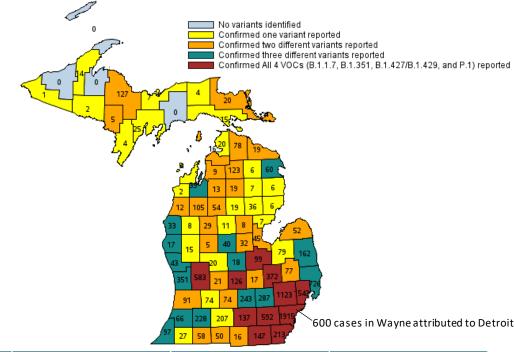
- Cases per million are decreasing for all races and ethnicities
- Blacks, American Indian/Alaskan Natives, and Hispanic/Latinos have the highest case rates
- In the past 30 days, 25% of all cases represent unknown, multiple, or other races (18% of race is unknown, ↓2%)
- In the past 30 days, 22% of all cases have an unknown ethnicity reported (↓3%)

Identified COVID-19 Cases Caused by All Variants of Concern (VOC) in US and Michigan

SARS-CoV-2 Variants Circulating in the United States, Apr 25 – May 8



Variants of Concern in Michigan, Jun 1



Variant	MI Reported Cases [¶]	# of Counties	CDC est. prevalence
B.1.1.7	11,110*	79	81.2%
B.1.351	67	20	0.4%
B.1.427/B.1.429	299	42	1.1%
P.1	234	28	2.3%

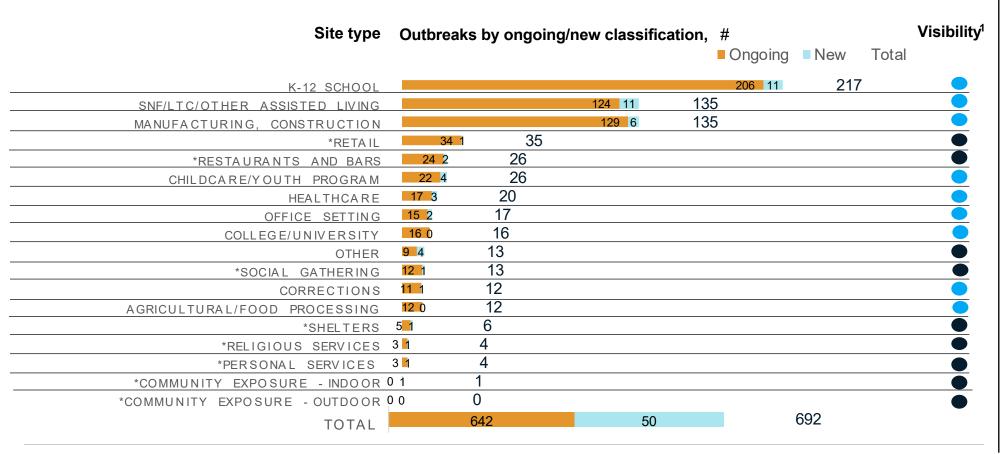
^{* 533} cases within MDOC; ¶ Numerous cases with county not yet determined

Number of outbreak investigations by site type, week ending May 27

Pre-decisional, for discussion only

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 Easier to identify outbreak Harder to identify outbreak



Total number of active outbreaks is down from previous week

Following K-12 (11), the greatest number of new outbreaks were reported in SNF/LTC (11), and manufacturing/construction (6)

LHDs reported new outbreaks in all settings except in College and Universities, Agriculture and Food Processing, and **Outdoor Community** Exposures.

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^{1.} Based on a setting's level of control and the extent of time patrons/residents spend in the particular setting, different settings have differing levels of ability to ascertain whether a case derived from that setting

K-12 school outbreaks, recent and ongoing, week ending May 27

Number of reported outbreaks decreased since last week (275 to 217) including decreases in High Schools (111 to 96), Middle/Jr High (66 to 54), and Pre K-Elementary (96 to 64). Only Administrative saw a slight increase (2 to 3).

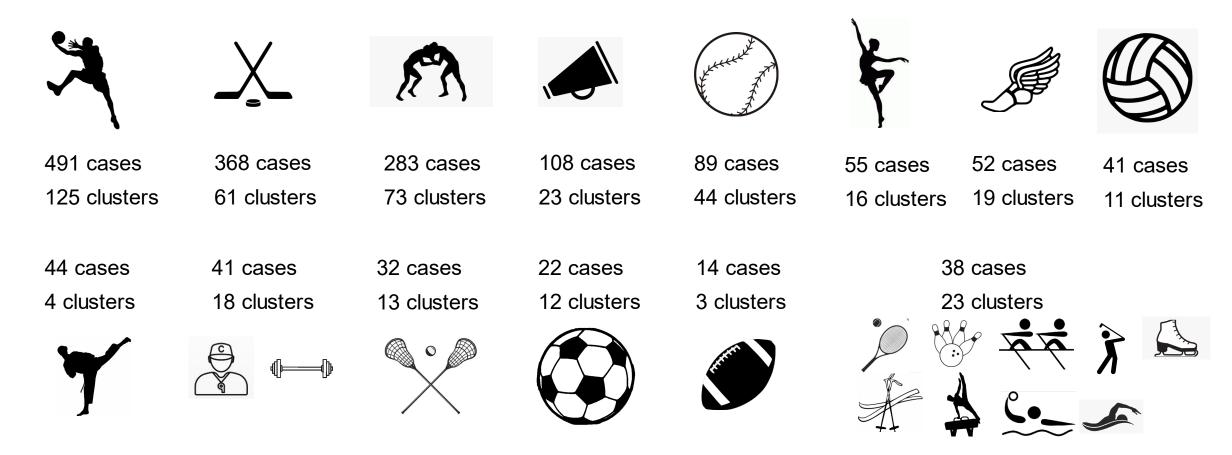
Region 1		# Ongoing - Excluding New # New	outbreaks	per outbreak
	269 6		33	2-40
Region 2n	123 10		45	2-10
Region 2s	36 2		9	2-8
Region 3	470 3		54	2-61
Region 5	114 2		13	2-43
Region 6	339 2		34	2-48
Region 7	117 0		21	2-33
Region 8	68 0		8	2-21
Total	1,536	25	217	2-61

Grade level	Number of reported ca	ses,#	# Ongoing - Excluding New # New	Number of outbreaks	Range of cases per outbreak
Pre-school - elem.	296 13			64	2-23
Jr. high/middle school	300 4			54	2-35
High school	930	8		96	2-61
Administrative	1(0			3	2-6
Total		1,536	25	217	2-61

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COVID-19 K-12 Sports Related Clusters and Cases

Cumulative Since Jan 2021 through May 2021



- Cases identified by local public health which include school-affiliated and club/travel/regional sports (spectators, collegiate, and professional sports as well as secondary cases to collegiate/professional sports are excluded)
- Largest number of new cases and clusters identified in past week are general athletics, baseball/softball, and track and field
- Cases and clusters have occurred in 25 different sport settings (new this week: ice skating)

Source: MDHHS - Michigan Disease Surveillance System

COVID-19 and Healthcare Capacity and COVID Severity

Hospitalizations and ICU utilization are decreasing

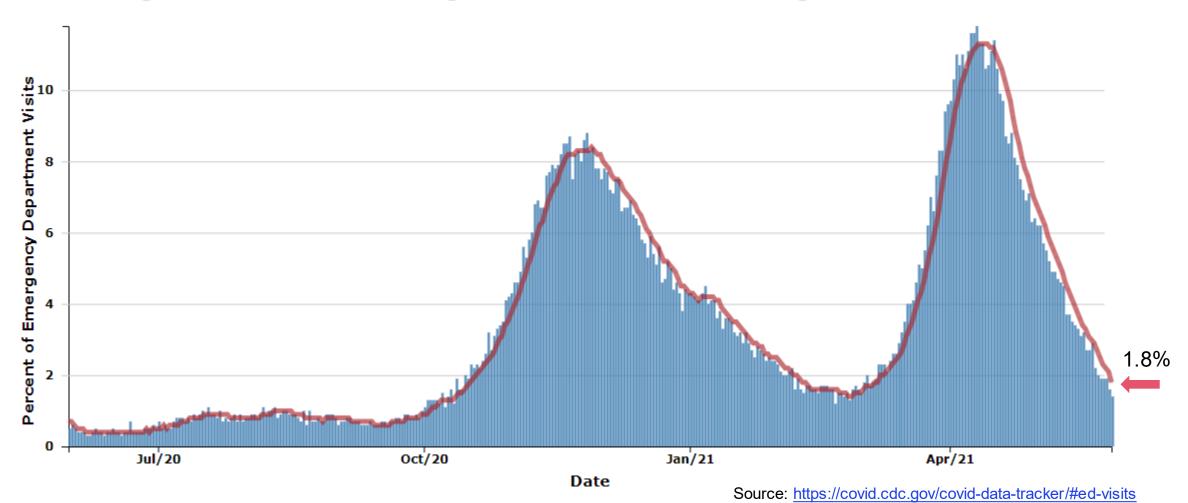
- COVID-like illness (CLI) has fallen to 1.8% (vs. 2.8% last week)
- Hospital admissions are decreasing statewide and for all age groups
- Hospitalizations down 28% since last week (vs. 21% decline week prior)
- All regions are showing decline in hospitalization trends this week
- Volume of COVID-19 patients in intensive care has decreased 20% since last week (vs. 17% decline week prior)

Death rate has decreased to 3.6 daily deaths per million people

- 32% decrease since last week (vs. 28% decrease last week)
- 53% decrease since April 24 peak
- Proportion of deaths among those under 60 years of age is steady from the previous week

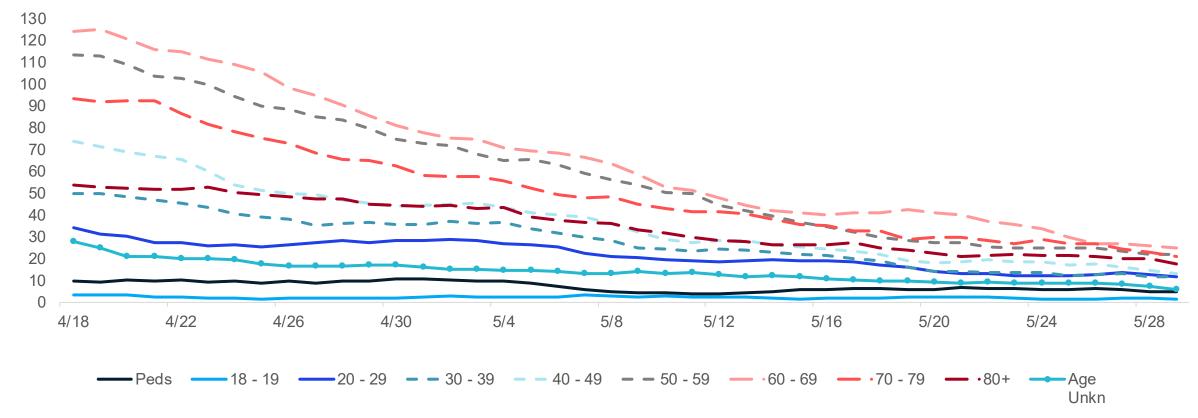
Michigan Trends in Emergency Department Visits for COVID-19-Like Illness (CLI)

Percentage of ED visits with Diagnosed COVID-19 in Michigan



Average Hospital Admissions by Age

Confirmed COVID-19 Hospital Admissions by Age Group - Statewide Rolling Weekly Average



- Currently, there are approximately 134 daily hospital admissions for COVID-19
- Over the past week, those 60-69 have seen the highest avg. daily hospital admissions (25 admissions)
- Since the Apr 14 high, overall avg. daily hospital admissions for COVID-19 have decrease 78%

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Age Group	Daily Avg Admissions	Average Daily Adm. Rate [†]	One Week % Change (#)	% Change since 4/14* (#)
Peds	4.7	2.2	-23% (-1-5)	-37% (-1-5)
18-19	1-5	6.0	-27% (-1-5)	-68% (-1-5)
20-29	11.7	8.5	-10% (-1-5)	-65% (-22)
30-39	11.7	9.7	-13% (-1-5)	-76% (-37)
40-49	12.9	10.9	-34% (-7)	-83% (-65)
50-59	22.0	16.3	-13% (-1-5)	-81% (-92)
60-69	24.9	19.5	-33% (-12)	-81% (-103)
70-79	21.1	27.6	-24% (-7)	-75% (-64)
80+	17.7	42.8	-17% (-1-5)	-71% (-43)
Total¶	133.9	13.4	-23% (-41)	-78% (-467)

[†] Rate per 1,000,000 MI residents

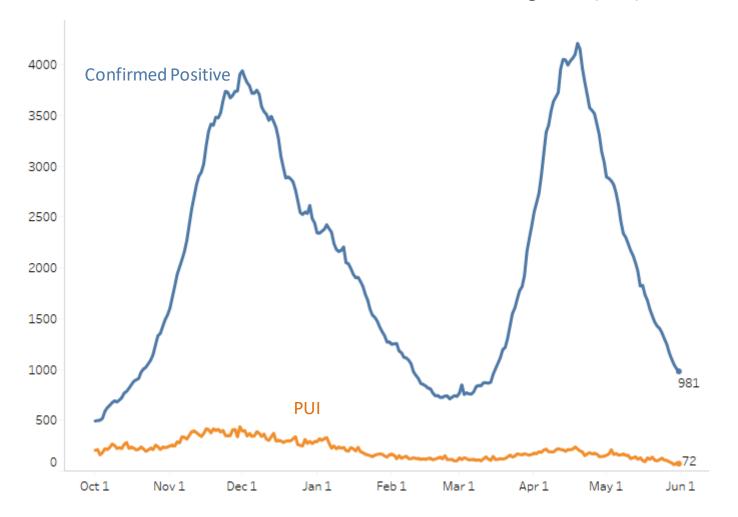
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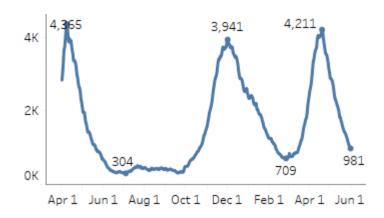
Statewide Hospitalization Trends: Total COVID+ Census

Hospitalization Trends 10/1/2020 – 5/31/2021 Confirmed Positive & Persons Under Investigation (PUI)

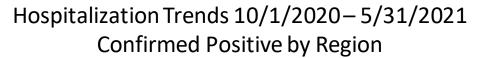


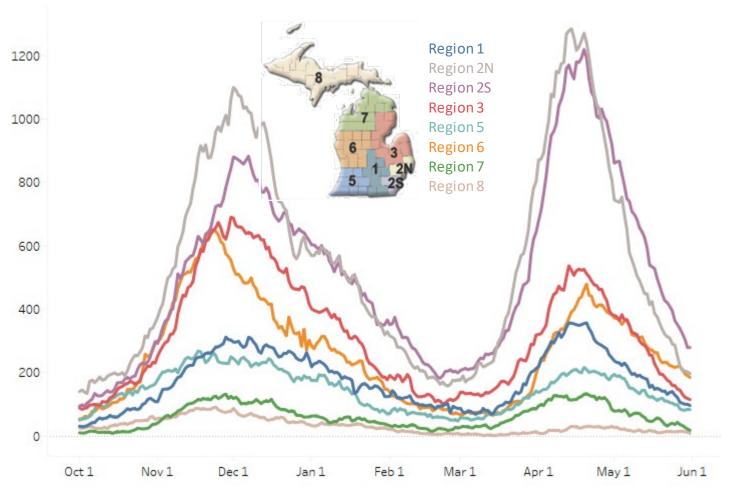
COVID+ census in hospitals continues to decline from the April 19th peak. This week is down 28% from the previous week (previous week was down 21%).

Hospitalized COVID Positive Long Term Trend (beginning March 2020)



Statewide Hospitalization Trends: Regional COVID+ Census





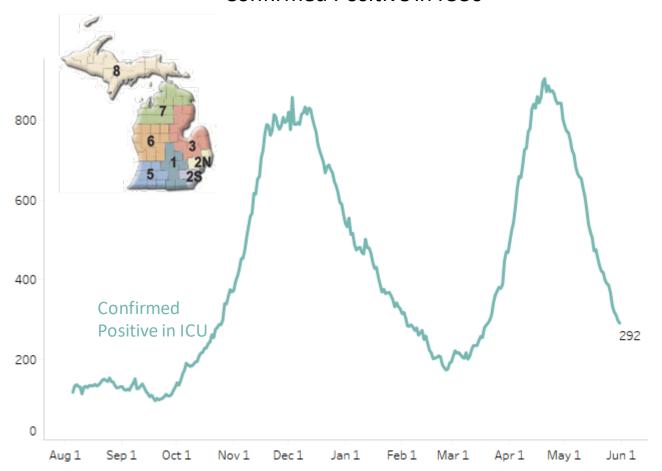
All regions show decreasing hospitalization trends this week.

All regions are now below 150/M hospitalized, with only 3 regions (Regions 2S, 3 and 6) above 100/M hospitalized.

Region	COVID+ Hospitalizations (% Δ from last week)	COVID+ Hospitalizations / MM
Region 1	96 (-31%)	89/M
Region 2N	197 (-32%)	89/M
Region 2S	279 (-29%)	125/M
Region 3	115 (-28%)	101/M
Region 5	83 (-20%)	87/M
Region 6	185 (-16%)	126/M
Region 7	18 (-55%)	36/M
Region 8	8 (-38%)	26/M

Statewide Hospitalization Trends: ICU COVID+ Census

Hospitalization Trends 8/1/2020 – 5/31/2021 Confirmed Positive in ICUs



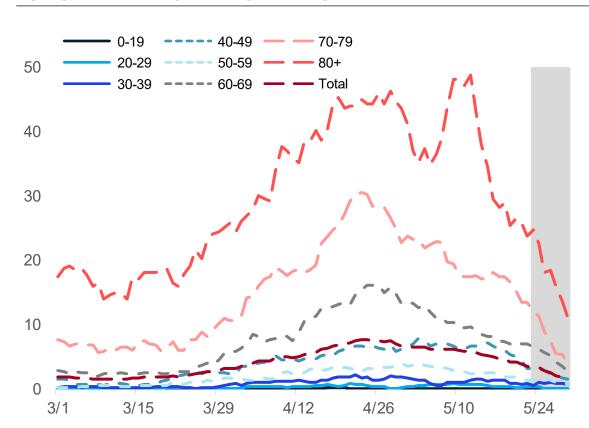
Overall, volume of COVID+ patients in ICUs has decreased 25% from last week, with all regions showing decreasing ICU census.

Only one region (Region 6) has greater than 20% of ICU beds occupied by COVID+ patients.

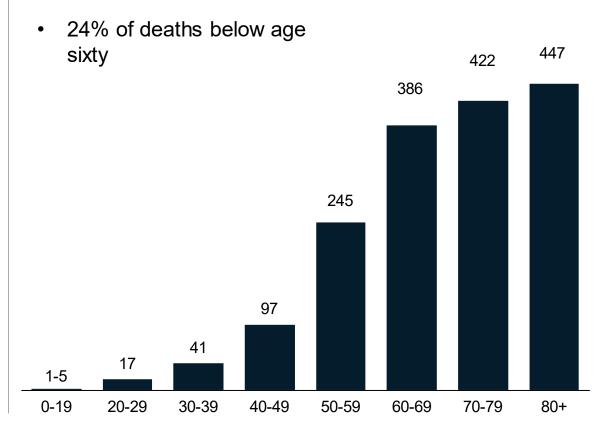
Region	Adult COVID+ in ICU (% Δ from last week)	Adult ICU Occupancy	% of Adult ICU beds COVID+
Region 1	27 (-31%)	87%	14%
Region 2N	54 (-19%)	74%	9%
Region 2S	89 (-29%)	82%	12%
Region 3	32 (-32%)	86%	9%
Region 5	24 (-23%)	68%	13%
Region 6	55 (-11%)	83%	21%
Region 7	7 (-36%)	70%	4%
Region 8	4 (-50%)	59%	7%

Average and total new deaths, by age group

Daily confirmed and probable deaths per million by age group (7 day rolling average)



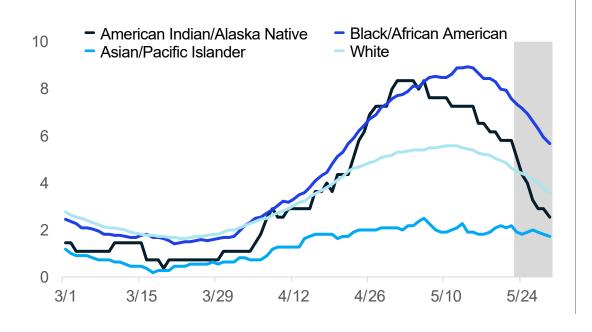
Total confirmed and probable deaths by age group (past 30 days, ending 5/22/2021)



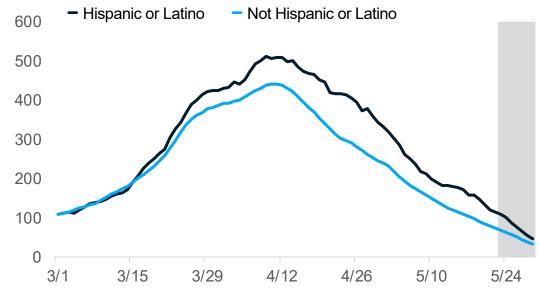
Note: Death information sourced from MDHHS and reflects date of death of confirmed and probable cases.

30-day rolling average daily deaths per million people by race and ethnicity

Average daily deaths per million people by race



Average daily deaths per million people by ethnicity



Updates since last week:

- Deaths are a lagging indicator of cases
- All racial and ethnic groups are seeing a decrease or plateau in COVID deaths
- American Indian/Alaskan Natives, Blacks and Non-Hispanics/Latinos have the most reported deaths per capita
- Deaths are not adjusted for confounders (e.g., age, sex, comorbidities)

How is public health capacity?

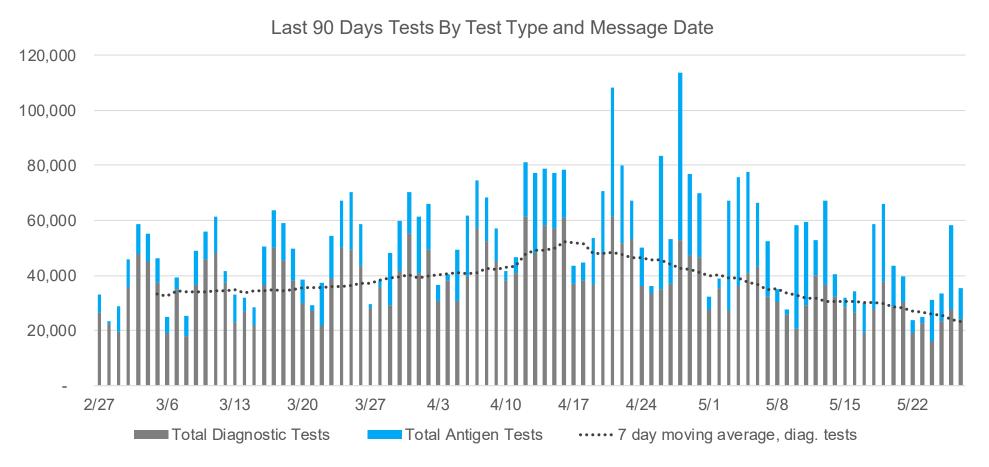
Diagnostic testing volume (PCR and antigen) has decreased from last week

- PCR testing decreased since last week
- Percent of antigen tests is about the same since last week

Cases identified for investigations has declined

- Number of cases not investigated this week (1,915) is 48% lower than prior week (3,676)
 - As cases have decreased, the percent of interviews attempted has improved
- Consistent low proportion of cases interviewed with a source of known infection (indicating community acquisition)
- Consistent low proportion of those quarantining when their symptoms begin (indicating no effective halt in community transmission)

Daily diagnostic tests, by message date



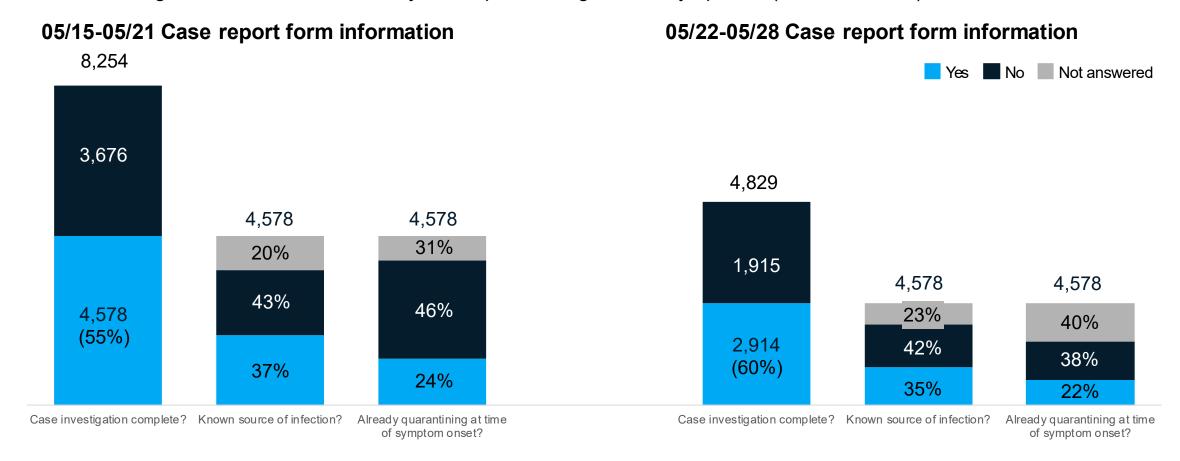
Weekly Update

- 35,202 rolling 7-day average daily diagnostic tests reported to MDHHS (PCR + Ag) (↓)
- 23,228 average daily PCR tests (↓)
- 34.0% are antigen tests over the past week (↔)
- 5.1% positivity in PCR tests (↓)

New Case Investigation Metrics (Statewide)

New Communicable Disease metrics this week:

- The percent (60%, ↑5%) of completed interviews improved from prior week
- Fewer cases identified for investigations (4,829, ↓3,425) have improved from prior week
- 35% of investigated cases having a known source (37% last week, 38% week prior)
- 22% of investigated cases noted that they were quarantining before symptoms (24% last week)



COVID-19 Vaccination

Administration

9th state in doses delivered, first doses provided and number of completed individuals (5/31/21)

78.0% adjusted administration ratio (excluding federal entities, <u>CDC channel portfolio</u> 5/23/2021 – no CDC update)

Weekly doses administered below 400,000 a week for three weeks

First doses in May most frequently given by pharmacies, local health departments, and hospitals

Coverage

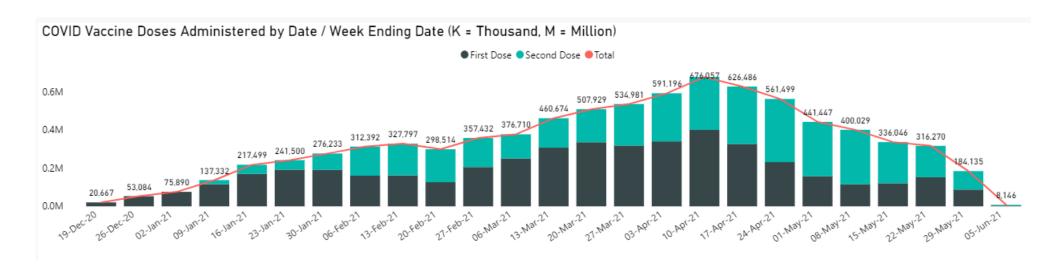
4,203,466 people in Michigan have completed series

70.2% of people aged 50 or older have had first dose; 40.6% of people aged 12-49 (up from 39.3% last week)

Initiation highest among Asian, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander and American Indian/Alaskan Native individuals (MI Covid Vaccine Dashboard 6/1/21)

Less than 1% of Vaccinated Individuals Later Tested Positive for COVID -19 (Number of cases who are fully vaccinated (n= 6,187))

Doses Delivered and Administered, and Coverage as of 6/1/21



11,229,100 doses delivered to providers in Michigan 8,687,297 doses Administered (CDC tracker) – MI has detail on 8,339,945 (96%)

78.0% adjusted administration ratio (excluding federal entities, CDC channel portfolio 5/25/2021) – same as last week

- Last three weeks less than 400,000 doses administered in a week
- 184,135 doses administered last week (down from 308,495)

During the month of May, first doses were most frequently given by pharmacies (311,643), local health departments (77,756), and hospitals (44,080), followed by FQHCs, Family Practices, Pediatrics and Urgent Cares (13K or fewer each).

Coverage Demographics as of 6/1/2021

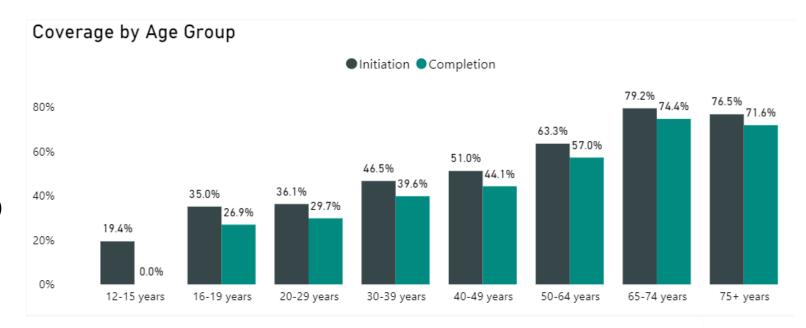
4,203,466 people completed series (CDC) (195K+ people)

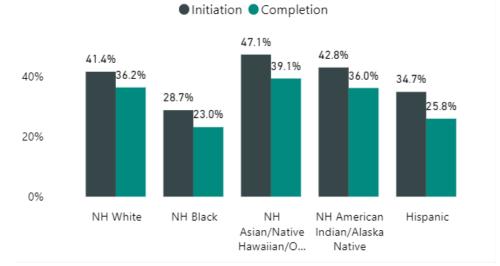
Age Group (Michigan dashboard)

- 40.6% people age 12-49 initiated vaccination (up from 39.3% last week)
- 70.2% people aged 50 or older have initiated their vaccine series; 64.6% have completed

Race/Ethnicity for 12 and older

- Initiation coverage highest among those of Asian, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander Race (47.1%) then NH (Non-Hispanic) American Indian (42.8%), NH White (41.4%), NH Black or African American (28.7%) Races.
- Initiation is at 34.7% for those of Hispanic ethnicity
- 23.2% data missing or unknown





Potential COVID-19 Vaccination Breakthrough Cases

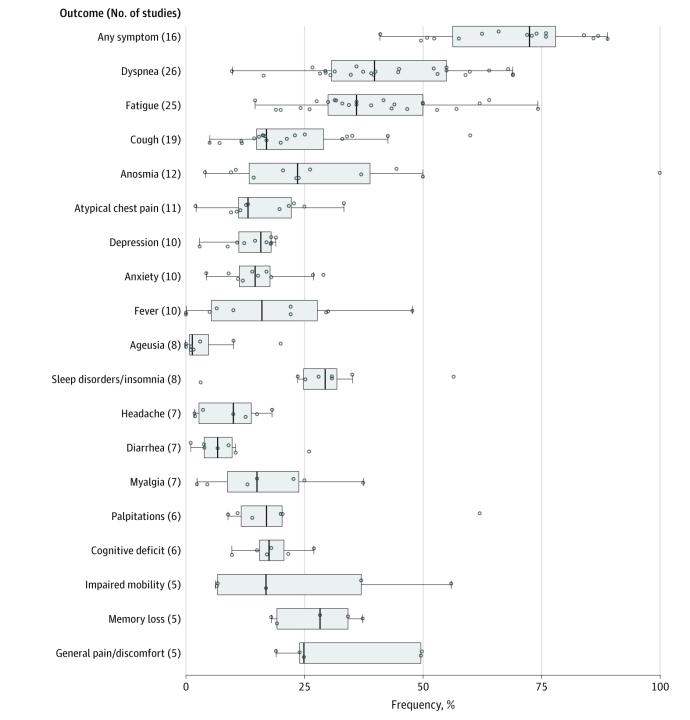
Michigan part of CDC's nationwide investigation (COVID-19 Breakthrough Case Investigations and Reporting | CDC)

Michigan Data (1/1/21 through 5/25/21):

- 6,467 cases met criteria based on a positive test 14 or more days after being fully vaccinated
- Less than 1% of people who were fully vaccinated met this case definition
 - Includes 123 deaths (116 persons age 65 years or older)
 - 332 cases were hospitalized
- Vaccine breakthrough cases are expected. COVID-19 vaccines are effective and are a critical tool to bring the pandemic under control. However, no vaccines are 100% effective at preventing illness in vaccinated people. There will be a small percentage of fully vaccinated people who still get sick, are hospitalized, or die from COVID-19.
- There is some evidence that vaccination may make illness less severe for those who are vaccinated and still get sick.
- To date, no unexpected patterns have been identified in the case demographics or vaccine characteristics among people with reported vaccine breakthrough infections.

New Data on Persistent COVID-19 ("Long COVID")

- Review of 45 studies including 9,751 people with COVID-19.
- Measured symptoms >60 days after start of infection.
- 73% of people had persistent illness.
- Most frequent long symptoms were shortness of breath, fatigue, and sleep disorders.



WHO naming of SARS-CoV-2 variants

- To assist with public discussions of variants, WHO convened a group of subject matter experts to consider easy-to-pronounce and non-stigmatizing labels for Variants of Interest (VOI) and variants of concern (VOC)
- Nomenclature for scientists and scientific research will remain the same (e.g., B.1.1.7, B.1.351, P.1, B.1.427, etc.)

Variants of Concern

WHO label	Pango lineage	GISAID clade/lineage	Nextstrain clade	Earliest documented samples	Date of designation
Alpha	B.1.1.7	GRY (formerly GR/501Y.V1)	20I/S:501Y.V1	United Kingdom, Sep-2020	18-Dec-2020
Beta	B.1.351	GH/501Y.V2	20H/S:501Y.V2	South Africa, May-2020	18-Dec-2020
Gamma	P.1	GR/501Y.V3	20J/S:501Y.V3	Brazil, Nov-2020	11-Jan-2021
Delta	B.1.617.2	G/452R.V3	21A/S:478K	India, Oct-2020	VOI: 4-Apr-2021 VOC: 11-May- 2021

Variant of Interest

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Epsilon	B.1.427/B.1.429	GH/452R.V1	20C/S.452R	United States of America, Mar-2020	5-Mar-2021
Zeta	P.2	GR	20B/S.484K	Brazil, Apr-2020	17-Mar-2021
Eta	B.1.525	G/484K.V3	20A/S484K	Multiple countries, Dec-2020	17-Mar-2021
Theta	P.3	GR	20B/S:265C	Philippines, Jan-2021	24-Mar-2021
lota	B.1.526	GH	20C/S:484K	United States of America, Nov-2020	24-Mar-2021
Карра	B.1.617.1	G/452R.V3	21A/S:154K	India, Oct-2020	4-Apr-2021

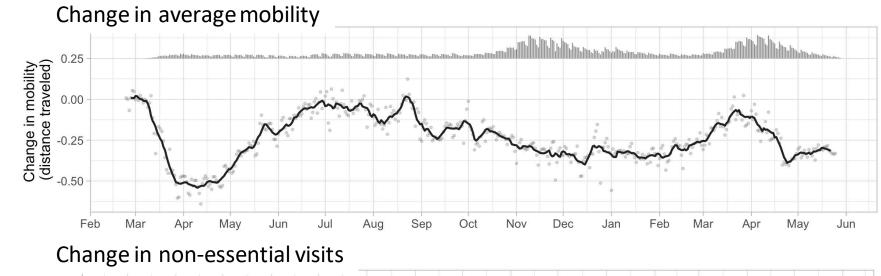
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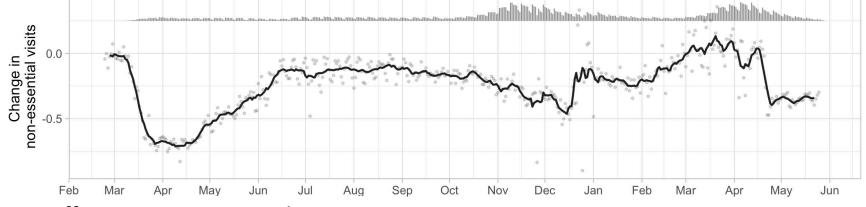
- All metrics recently decreased preceding case decreases
- Most recent data appears to be more plateaued at levels similar to winter
- Cases shown as bars at top of each chart
- Data through 5/25/21 (data as of 5/29/21)



Unacast social distancing scoreboard

https://www.unacast.com/co vid19/social-distancingscoreboard





Difference in encounter density

